## Today's Weather.

#### DOMESTIC.

Prousands of people are attending the Odd Fellows' Sovereign Grand Lodge at Dea Moines.

Appeals have been sent to Washington for aid in suppressing forest fires in Col-

boodle investigation developed gothing startling in St. Louis yestesrday. FOREIGN.

Train with American soldlers aboard was stopped near Panama by government

M. Polletan, the new Prench minister of marine, uttered war talk at Bizeria, POLITICS.

Speaker Henderson has withdrawn from the race for congress in lows on accoun of differences with his party. TEXAS.

Commissioner Johnson draws attention to the fact that according to the census report, half a billion dollars worth of property is escaping texation. The report of the weather bureau shows

that the cotton crap has not improved; late rice is doing well. A new inmber company with headquar-

ters at Houston has been chartered. The first Year Book for Texas has been issued by the State librarian.

The debate between Garner and Scott at Corpus Christi was another democratic vic-Large number of cattle are being shipped

from Nueces county to prevent death by storvation. The cotton manufacturers of Texas met

at Brenham and discussed the matter of child labor in the mills. Congressman Sheppard has returned home

much improved in health. The democratic executive committee for the Twentieth senatorial district will meet at Austin to consider the tungle that has been caused by Travis county.

The carnival at Palestine is now under

There has been a stiff advance in the price of oil at Beaument. Judge Lee Biddle contends that the nomination of Gillespie for congress by lot was

#### SPORT.

perfectly proper.

Den Patch again felled to lower the pacing record at the Empire trotting track. The Jockey Suyers broke his leg badly and his horse broke his neck at the Deimar track.

The betting ring at Hawthorne received a hard blow by Jack Dayle's victory. Bonnibert, the favorite was beaten by Mackey Dwyer at Gravesend.

Kentucky State officials take action to stop the Corbett-McGovern contest at Louis-

#### COMMERCIAL.

Cotton values advanced on better reports from Liverpool.

The grain market was irregular and the close all grains were lower.

Tetanus in horses and its treatment discuared by a local suthority. Waco's mayor in search of data on the

prohibition question in Texas, Chief Ellis' assairant let off with a light

to give way to the Ne-Teo-Oh until Jan-

#### WASHINGTON NOTES. (Special to The Post.)

Washington, September 16.-R. E. Cow art and S. W. S. Duncan of Dallas, who have been here for several days past on husiness connected with the Prinity river improvement, left for home today. Mes, Murgaret Hadley Poster and son,

Lieutepant Sidney Fester, are in Washing ton. Lieutenant Foster will leave on September 20 for the Philippines to join the resiment to which he has been sentgaed.

The department of state has requested the Mexican embussy here to use its good offices in protecting the fives of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Morgan and Miss Sarah Lin ley, realients of Plainheid, lud., who are nitssionaries at Cofovol, Mexico.

#### Britons Not Disturbed. London, September 16.-What is design nated as M. Pelletan's "New Diplomacy"

is not taken seriously in London, , It is pointed out here that in the course of his tour the minister similarly referred to Germany and Italy and semi-official French papers like the Journal Des Debats declare his sentiments are those neither of France nor of the government.

The London afternoon papers commenting on M. Polletan's speech at Bizerta, quotehis ingenious confession that he had not became accustomed to being a minlater." as sufficient to discount his utterances. Even in France M. Pelletan has always been regarded as an impulative

Utah State Convention. Utah, September 16.-The demo craffe State convention today nominated Judge W. H. King of Salt Lake for conas and Bichard W. Young, formerly of supreme bench in the Philippines, for tice of the supreme court, and adopted datform in which trusts and test sugar as prominent features.

Grove's Black Root Liver Pills. ade from an active principle obtained

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al to calemet and leave no bad after
its. No gripton, no sick atomach. With
chickip-constipation. Price 25 cents.

### SUMMRAY OF THE NEWS. AN INVESTIGATION IS ON

Business Men Will Try to Determine Correctness of Crop Reports.

#### BUREAUS HAVE DIFFERENT RESULTS.

A Long List of Questions Propounded to the Census Department Setting Forth the Object of the Inquiry.

(Special to The Post.)

Washington. Sentember 16.- The long expected statistical investigation into the nethods employed by the census bureau and the relative correctness of its crostatistics as compared with those of the agricultral department began this morning. The members of the lovestigation commit tee convened in the office of L. G. Powers. chief agriculturel statistician at the consus bureau. Those finally present as ment bers of the committee were: William S. Harvey, Phindelphin, president of the Commercial Museum; J. C. Brown, New York, statistician produce exchange; Wil-Ham V. King. New York, superintendent cotton exchange; H. A. Wrogh, Baitimore assistant secretary chamber of commerce

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* CATTLE ARE BEING SHIPPED

From Nueces County to Prevent Death by Starvation.

Alles Toxas Sontember 16 The continued drouth has done general damage to the cattle in this counfry as well as other interests. Over 350 cars of cattle will leave this place before October t to prevent death by starvation. Mrs. Elliff has black matter and more will surely die on her place. Feed la being shipped in by every train Cattie going out daily and yet the wagon loads of fresh bides prove that these measures were not takes soon

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* B. Frank Howard, Chicago, representing poard of grade; C. B. Marray, Cincinnati, superinfundent chamber of commerce, Mr. Harvey was elected chalculan,

Mr. Marray presented the following eng-gestion, which he said represented his ideas regarding the lines along which the committee should direct its investigation.

What are the possibilities of error in the censes wors?

Are thus in the direction of galaxyement of results or otherwise?

Were there tests of yield per acre by making commandate with a versus along.

of counts or otherwise?

Were there tests of yield per acre by making commarisons with averages adopted for certain States or regions?

If an, how were such averages arrived at and to what extent were they used to change smalls as commared with return-received? Was there recognition of losses between

Was there recognition of losses between acrosse sown and serverse harvested, in the application of yield per acre to reach results of production, were returns of production represented uniformly in the results independently of application of rais per sere applied to stated acreage?

In it possible that the enumerator secured from the farmers a statement of acreage sown, and a yield per aire from the acreage harvested, applying this yield to the acreage sown regardless of the portion abundoned?

In the operation of tabulating machines.

plication for a preferantial reduction in cotton rates, took testimony and heard a part of the argument. It was developed that it was simply the old differential light.

HOUSTON.

Four additional mail carriers will be added to the force of the Houston post office.

The demant of railway trainmen west of the Missouri explained by President Estes.

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#### CONFERRED WITH ROOSEVELT.

Political Situation Was Discussed by the Senators,

Oyster Bay, September 16 Senators Hanna, Spooner, Allison, Aldrich and Lodge and Postmaster General Payne spent nevand Postmaster General Payne spent savaral hours with President Roosevett today and discussed with him the entire political astuation, having special reference to the conditions in the Western States which the president is to visit on his appreaching trip. The parties to the conference were very reticent after they returned from Sagamore Hill, but it can be stated on reliable authority that it was decided to make no attempt to review the tariff at the coming session of compress; that the president is to indust in the demand for resignacity with Cuba. It is understood that he will fully outling his policy regarding that he resident to make on his Western trip.

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"Ne differences of opinion developed and the president's position or the life." The Rice Palace association has decided eral hours with President Roosevelt today

the who decures of opinion developed and he president's position on the different scattons discussed was inforced. We alked over the entire political situation, specially that in the States through which he president is to pass. The coal sirik.

was not talked about. The senatorial delegation arrived here at 12:20 H m, coming from Long Island City in the private car of President Baid with of the Long Island railroad. The senators refused to see a number of newspaper men who were on the train. Ou their arrival here they were driven at once to Sagamere Hill in President Rossevelt a train. They left in the private car at 10:10 p. m. for Long Island City.

Postmaster General Payne came over enries in the day from Lenter Island. He left at 15:20 p. in for New York.

#### ALABAMA CONVENTION.

Republicans Began Their Work Without Negroes Yesterday.

Birmingham, Air., September 16.—After a session of seven hours consisting at specifies, reports of committees and nomination of officers the republican State convention adjourned tonight fact as the question of the platform was introduced.

According to the recommendations of the executive committee not a bestro delegate absolutely inject the convention. State officers will be accumined to marrow and it is probable that J. T. McKifetry of Talindega will be possed in florest convention. Joseph, H. Montkomery of Jefferson is riand for attorage general and J. T. Chenville of Crenshaw for acceptary of state.



SPEAKER D. B. HENDERSON.

### 'BIG CHIEF" DEVERY WON RATE WAR INEVITABLE

OCRATIC LEADERSHIP.

Keen Fight Was on in the New York Primaries-Devery Had a Big Parade.

New York, September 1d. Republican and lemocratic primaries were held in the various assembly districts to the borough seener than for some years tnasmuch as there were very many of the districts to which there were contests for leaderships. This was notably true in the Ninth assembly district, where Whitam S. Devery, ex cecks conducted a picturesque campaign as a candidate for the Tamminy leadership egalnet Frank J. Goodwin, Tammana bear er, and John C. Sheehan, leader of the The stock market recovered some of its activity but the money stringency attit manifested itself in the high rate on call money.

RAILROADS.

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The commissioner has cancelet the emergency rates on the Frisco times and the sait rates on the Santa Fa.

The commission took up Galveston's application for a preferential reduction in cot-

rol fun far ahead of his opponent, Thomas

In the Twenty-ixth district former Sheriff Thomas J. Donn had an easy victory over his opponents, while in the First it appeared at a late hour that Dan Fine had won in his night for the leadership against former Police Commissioner Michael

Murphy orough President Haffen of the Bronx clar ahead of his opponent.
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clar B. Sexton in the Ninetespia won
theat great trouble over Joseph Kechee,
the ex-Street Commissioner Nagle was
effected in the Thirty fourth,
effected in the Thirty fourth.

Eventy fifth assembly district. Among the republicans. Abraham Graber, in the Twenty byst: John Strebling in the Egitteenth, with Dock Commissioner lawkes in the Talenty fifth, were successful. L. E. Quigg won in the Sixteenth district for the republicans. The facilous of he two parties were successful in both armaries in Richmond primaries. In Brooklyn the regular republican ticket to the Sixteenth district won. The regular removratic ticket wen in all districts but us.

After Devery learned that he was elected. After Devery learned that he was elected, be organized about 2800 non and boys into a parade and, headed by the "Big Chief" and a life and dram corpe, they may ched through the district amid the shoulk and applause of the people who lined the stress. Devery bowed to the people can liqually. The parade lasted for malf and hour, for it was frequently interrupted by groups of men, women and children who groups of men, wemen and children who broke through the crowds to shake Dev-ery's hand.

### DISCORD AMONG DEMOCRATS.

The Massachusetts Convention Shows a Lack of Harmony.

Boston, Mass., September 1d. The prespect of a barmonious convention tonorrow of the democrats of Mossichusetta was not as bright at the preliminary gathering of the party leaders and delegates tonight. between Colonel William A. Gaston and Charles S. Hamilin, both of Boston, would be carried into the convention had been anticipated, but that the committee on resolutions become a starm center with the question of redfirmation of the Kaussa City directarations be incorporated into this year's Massachusetts democratic platform, while three other members surprise. For nearly ten hours today the six members at large of the committee on resolutions discussed the question three of them, industing Grouze Fred Williams, the chairman, demanding that the Kaussa the chairman, demanding that the Kaussa it platform, while three other members, led by Josiah Quiney, opgued any such plank although willing to account planks on other National Issues, such as those outrusts and membendles, revoked that they were not drawn in drastic terms. The direct of a platform which will be scientified to the convention as the majority report of the convention as the majority report of the convention was fundly adopted by a wate of H te T. This platform rearmine allegiance—in the fundamental principles of democrary and invites the apparent of all opponents of modern republican publishes. anticipated, but that the committee on

DEFEATED SHEEHAN FOR THE DEM- UNLESS MALLORY PEOPLE ABANDON THE PROPOSED REDUCTION.

> It is Alleged that the Trouble Was Precipitated by the Southern Pacific. The Situation Described,

> Local railway officials are much interestd in the impending out rate war between the leading constwine steamship lines. The New York Commercial and other leading dailies of the East are printing full columns about the tremble. The Mallery people will brangurate their new service to Mobile next Friday and have already announced a cut in rates to Bast St. Louis to take effect of that date. This is the casus belli and diplomary is being practiced to avert declaration of war. It is generally believe however, that unrealizated blood letting the only remedy for the situation Meetings of lines interested will be seld no week to discuss the business and see the trauble can not be situation that on peting lines will never the cut. Kost rate in the middle West are also for precario, in the middle West are also for a precario. peting lines will meet the cut. Roll rate in the middle West are also in a precuriou condition. Southbound husiness on all of the constwice lines is extraordinarily hency. The great traffic is too confined to any on commodity, but dust is of general merotrantic.

AN ENORMOUS TRAFFIC.

The Southern Pacine's newly inaugurated service to Galverten for through traffic and He service to New Orleans is faily meeting New Orleans service cemi-weekly. All ver sels is both services are being dispatche with full cargo's a confibound. of the Mallory fine in or tyles and that the first said that the first said there was no reason by allowed diff reating to Mobile, especially in marty the Old Dominion.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC'S EXPLANTION At the New York of the Southern Pacific it was said yesterday that the cut in rates to St. Louis made by the Mallory time would not affect the former since it did not compete with the Mallory on graffic to St. Louis, but it would disturb the situation so fat as Usia and Colorado bushness is concerned, since both lines are competitors for that trains. The Morgan line—Sevthern Pactic—is more concerned, however, over the present arts iffentially the concerned of Scuthern Pacific—is more concerned, now-ever, over the present rate situation among roads in the Middle West, which, it is elaimed, are doing all in their power to divert business from the guit and Atlantic films. What amounts to a litter cut-rate war among Western lines from Chicago and Mississippi river paints is the result of this aggressive policy. It is asserted that West-cin railroads are securing large salpments which ordinarily would go via the guit or Atlantic ports to pelous in the Middle West, by practically giving special rates whenever a large consignment is offered for trans-portation.

THE LAW EVADED. The law forbide the roads from combin

ing or making lower rates than competitors my giving relates; but the lines can issue special tariffs and in this way are evading xne law.

Another version of this trouble was given by the traffi; wanager of one of the principal countwise them. He said that the trouble was precipitated by the Southern Profile was precipitated by the Southern Profile when that company made a Escent rate of Sugar to Missouri river points, as compared with the established rate of about 50 cents. The Western reads, he said, did not relish this invasion of their territory. They regarded the route via the guid and theire to Missouri river points a roundabout and canatarat route and therefore took steps to prevent such competition.

New Oklahoma Railroad.

Guthrie, O. T., September 16-A Territorial charter was granted today to the Kunasa. Oklahoma Central and Southwestcrn Railroad company with a capital of \$11,200,08% The incorporators are Chia-home capitalists. The proposed line will run from Cedarville, Kun, southwest through Stillwater, Guntile and til Reco. O. T., to Kirkland Texas, and will have awe branches one from Stillwater south east to Fort Smith Ark, and the other northwest to Woolward, O.T., on the Texas border. The total distance will be 640 miles. The principal place of business will be Stillwater.

Cholora at Manila.

Mantia, September 16 -8tx additional cases of cholors incloding one death from that disease have developed on board the transport Sherman at Nagasaki, Japan. It is sent-officially stated that the transform this pers. All the sofferers are entired men General Chaffee has ordered to British control transport Sherman at Naganaki, Japan.

from this pert. All the sufferers are me fisted men. General Chaffee has ordered the Sherman to continue in quarantine for use days.

Choisea is light in Manila and had in the provinces. The totals to date reported from the blands are 97,750 cases and 41.

804 deaths. These are unofficial estimates: Pay. 300.

### FISH'S DEATH A MYSTERY

Conflicting Stories Have Arisen Regarding the Case.

THREE PERSONS ARE UNDER ARREST

The Banker Had an Altercation in Restaurant Before He Was Found Dead.

New York, September 16.-Nicholas Fish, milliensire, diplomat and descendant of one of the best known of American famities, died at the Roosevelt hospital at 3:25 o'clock this morning, the result of an injory in Ehnrd's saloon on West Thirtieth street yesterday. Whether he was murder ed or fell the police have not yet determined. Condicting stories such as would naturally follow an event in which criminal responsibility must be placed are told, but there seems to be no doubt that Mr. Flab had a quarrel with a private detective named Thomas J. Sharkey, who joined the bunker at a table, where he had been for several bours drinking with Mrs. Libby J.

Phillips and Mrs. Neille Casey.

Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Casey and Sharkey were streeted early today in connection with the case, According to the police. Mr. Fish entered Ehard's salcon. 200 West Thirty-tourth street, vesterday afternoon with Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Casey. The police say that Mrs. Phillips knew who Fish was but that heither Mrs. Casey nor sharkey, who subsequently joined the party, was aware of his identity. Sharkey, who knew the woman, was not reinctant to join the party, when one of the women insited him to do so. The police say that Fish did most of the buying. Fish thead and he announced that he would have to draw a casek. Sharkey, ignorant of Fish's identity, questioused his shalllet to make also check good. Fish', it is said, took offense at this and angry words ensued. According to the police some one singued Fish's face. One of the women charging to Fish's arm, dragged and out to the sidewalk. The police sales and and out to the sidewalk. The police arin, dragged him reward the door of the saleon and out to the sidewalk. The policy say that Sharkey attempted to follow Fish but was for a moment restrained from doing so by the other woman. He finally went out of the saleon and he and Fish encountered each other on the sidewalk. Sharkey's hat had been knocked off and se was barcheaded. There was a smille, his whom commenced it is not known. Fish fell, or was knocked down the head striking a fing stone. Just before the secutile on the sidewalk commenced Mrs. Casey, becoming alarmed, here riedly left the party. After Fish fell, it is said Sharkey re-eners dith saleon and then left it and went into a saleon and then left it and bearded a moment later bett that place and bearded a street can. He

arraigned as cities the death of rescaled with the death of rescaled all knowledge of Mrs. Phillips, when questioned a case, said. You'll find out later to the said and autopay on the body of Mr found that death was raises obtain learnerings due to violence clean learnerings due to violence than he man and the said of the older to the older to

Conference at New York Was Again rrice, he entered the braking huntures, this city in 1887. If his brethers. Hann on is former republican anesker of the ow York assembly and Storyceam is esident of the lillnois central Religious

#### SHORT NEWS STORIES.

PHILADELPHIA - The National Prison Inferesting reports and addresses

BOSTON Former Senator Towne of Sinamota will build g big carbolite plant a the East. He is traveling in a private lighted car with carbolite.

andhigs.

NEW YORK.—Mme. Calve has at last thoughout date is to marry. She has written under the first the man of aer bolce is the handsome painter and author. Bent Con.

NEW YORK The thirtiesh annual convention of the fire chiefs of the country, organized under the name of the International Association of Fire Engineers, began

SAN FRANCISCO - The result of the costponed annual meeting of Wella Farza C Co. is believed here to mean that the amore of a merger of the four great excress companies of the United States in the

the C'HICAGO .- "Has the Fresident of the nited States Been Made the Catspaw of rehinder by Fresident of the Subject which is the Subject which is the Subject of the Methodal Lephschal church in the Northwest eminents upon in its lesue of this week. comments upon in its lesse of this week. TOPEKA, Kan.—Sait has been brought in the supreme court le rompel the secretary of state and all county clerks in Kansia to place the name of W. H. Craddork, the fusion nominee for governor, on both the democratic and poople's party tickers. This is the bear suff to determine the validity of the antifusion law.

SAN PRANCISCO - Another riot occurred at the Presidio Tucsday. Five hundred soldiers, chagrined at heing molested in their attempt to destroy the saloon of Adolph Rehneld, gathered in front of the place again and began stoning the building. They broke in the front deers and the mob processed to drink up Robleid's stock and to make way with cigars and robacce.

#### FOREIGN BRIEFS.

CAPE TOWN Sir John Gordon Spring arime minister of the colony, has annumerated before the house of assembly and the government Genetic the repeal of unritial law. LONDON -A dispatch to a news agency from Pekin says: "Catholies nere under-stand that from 300 to 1000 converts have been killed by Boxers in the province of Sas Chuch."

THE HAGUE,—Queen Withelmina opened the stants ceneral in person. She appeared to have completely recovered from far illness. See we accompenied by her bushand, Prince Hanry, and the queen mather.

British Get Delagoa Bay. London. September 16.-A firm of South cases of cholors including one death from African merchants in Liverpool is said to



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are concerned, it is only necessary is that every effort from Schalor is down, has been futile. We have do our position and will maintain it.

COLLIERIES RESUME WORK

Scranton, Pa., September 10.-Altre 1

the companies having headquarters ! claim to be operating nineteen collec-

twenty one washeries, with an ellist daily output of 20,000 tens.

A deputy at the Panceast college chased by a crowd today, and to held to off he discouraged a revolver. He was attrested by the horough authorities sent to jail for discharging fireares.

He Talked Over Various Matters W. President Mitchell.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., September 16-47 dent Gempers of the American Feeti of Labor and National President Mas

of the United Mine Workers, togethre
the district presidents of the same,
issition in the anthracite region, spelbest part of the day in secret cache
here. After the meeting none of the

participated was in a communicative

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Some Trouble Occurred With Strikes One Colliery. Without Result.

MARKLE STICKS TO HIS POSITION He Says the Only Way for the Men to

End the Strike Is to Go to Work.

No Settlement in Sight,

New York, September 16.-A conference of the leading anthracite coal interests was cellic AGO. -The farmers' trust, designed control the crops of the satirs country held this afternoon at the Philadelphia when that is a complished the crops of and Reading company offices. Those presentings. held this afternoon at the Philadelphia ent included President Baer of the Read ing road, President Truesdale of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, President Fowler of the New York, Ontarle and Western, President Walters of the Lehigh Valley, President Oliphant of the Delaware and Hudson, Irving Stearns of Coxe Bros

> The two last named represented the in dependent operators in the hard coal in dustry.

> & Co., and John Markle of G. B. Markle

The proceedings of the conference could not be learned, but it was stated in adcance of the meeting that no concession will be granted and that recent events of semi-political character would not be serionsly considered. Fallowing a meeting with J. F. Morgan, John Markle made this statement: 'I do not think it necessary to speat that all talk of concessions on the part of the operators is foolish and certainly without foundation. Our position now is the same as when Mr. Mitchell made his original propositions and no different thin when the atrike began.

"We said then that we would make no concessions and we repeat it now. There is no reason way this should not be understood. The operators have shown that they mean it and I repeat only by way of emphasis." tonsiy considered. Following a meeting

here is just one way to end the strike-

FIREMEN HARD AT WORK Chattanooga Convention Is Busy With Its Committees Chattanooga, Tean., September 16-

Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen Brutherhood of Locomotive Firemers
both morning and afternoon session in
large amount of business of as exmature was transacted. The committy
constitution and by-laws one of the
important of the committees, comits report, but had only read rerecommendations of changes is refluors when the afternoon session desp tions when the afterneon session all The rhanges of these sections at a material importance. BOODLE INVESTIGATION Ten Delegates Were Examined by

St. Louis, September 16.-A 18th eventful day passed in the boods by gation. Ton members of the house a gates who falled to appear before the jury yesterday, were examined today and to the city digiting bill and install way legislation. The grand 3m7 ling into all phases of the lighting is an endeavor to seems endig to There is just one way to end the strike—
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nem. Conditions are improving daily, more
ien are returning to work and more coal
being mined.

"So for an recent attempts at settlement whereabouts of Charles F. Kelly-

Grand Jury.

### MEN-BE STRONG



and must successful

Few men are absolutely free from some organ weakness. Spots before the eyes, dizziness, main-ness, weak back, loss of memory, aversion to south etc., are symptoms which you can not over-etc, are symptoms which you can not over-tight treatment is given, but experiments with right treatment is given, but experiments with samples, ready-made medicines, "quick cutes, will only aggravate your trouble and make a com-more difficult.

Before jeopardizing your future happiness to perimenting with unscientific treatment, I want to investigate fully my superior equipment for course. I have cured thousands where others are

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